FIG. 1

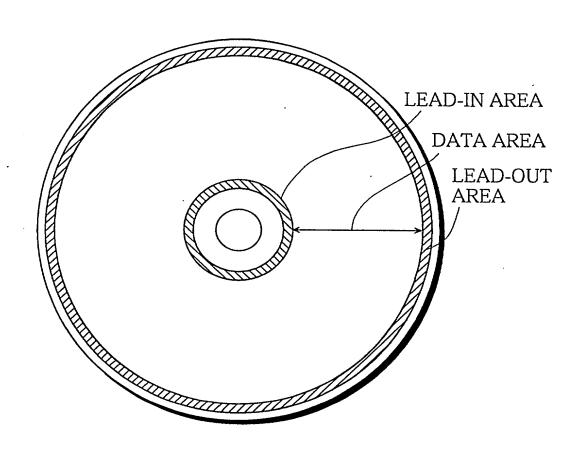
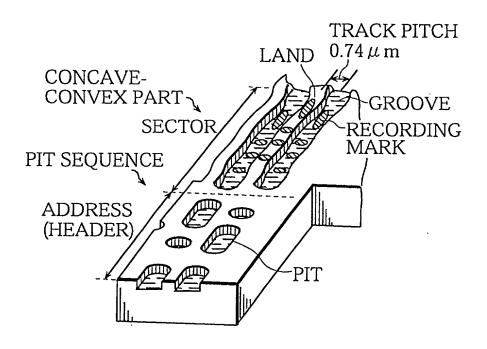


FIG. 2



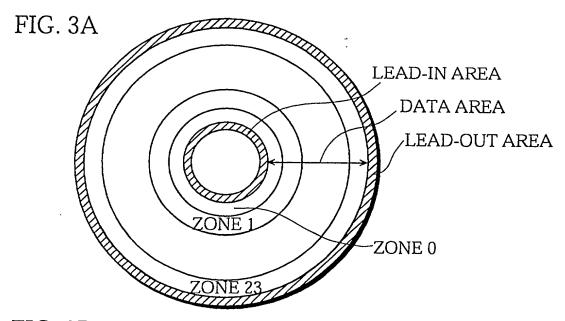
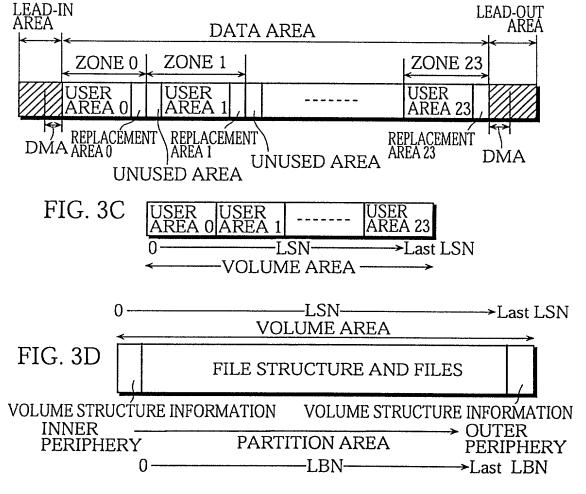
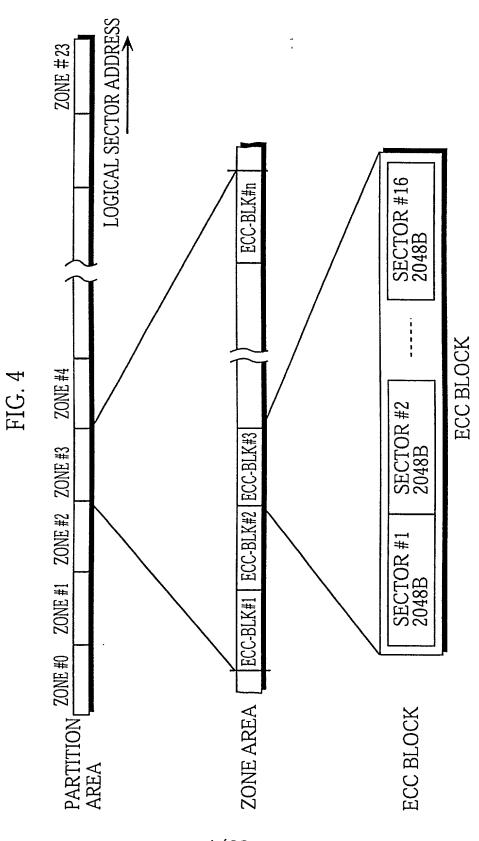
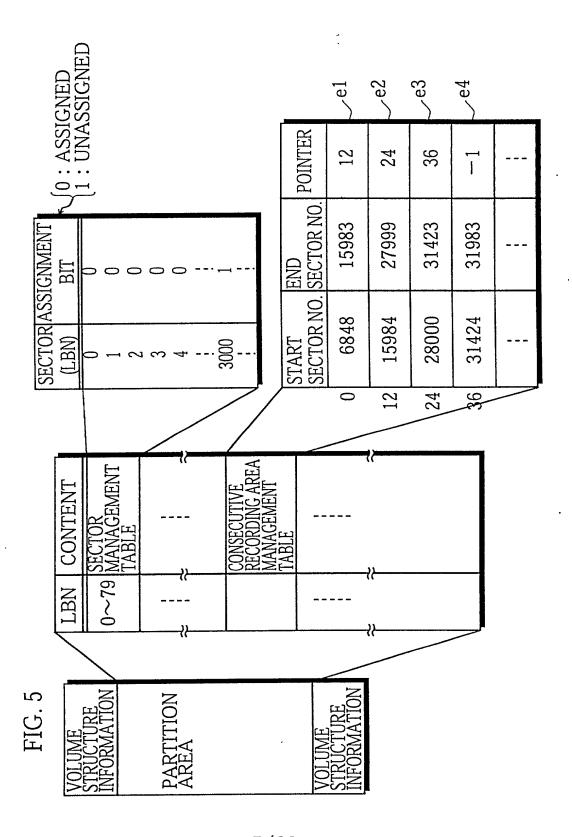


FIG. 3B





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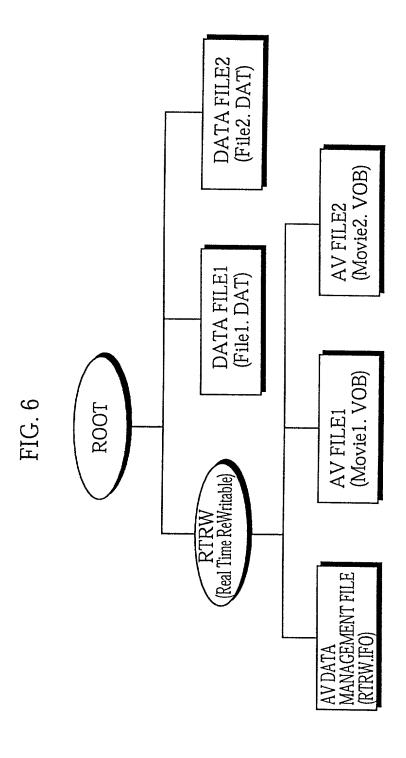
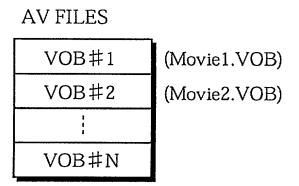


FIG. 7



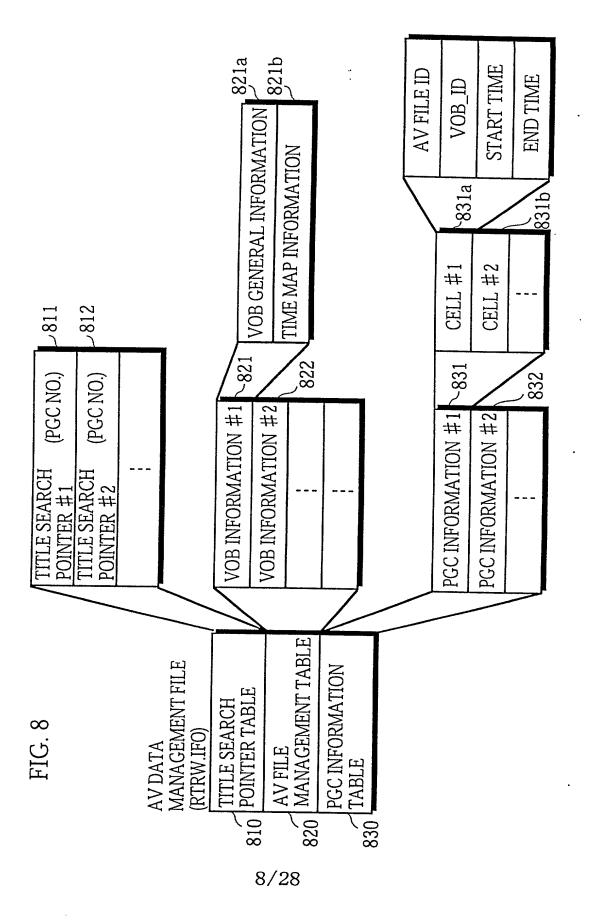


FIG. 9

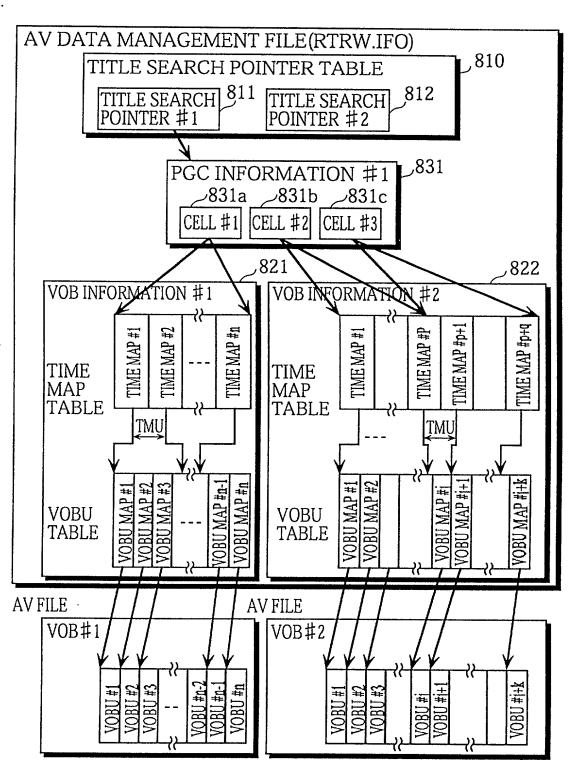
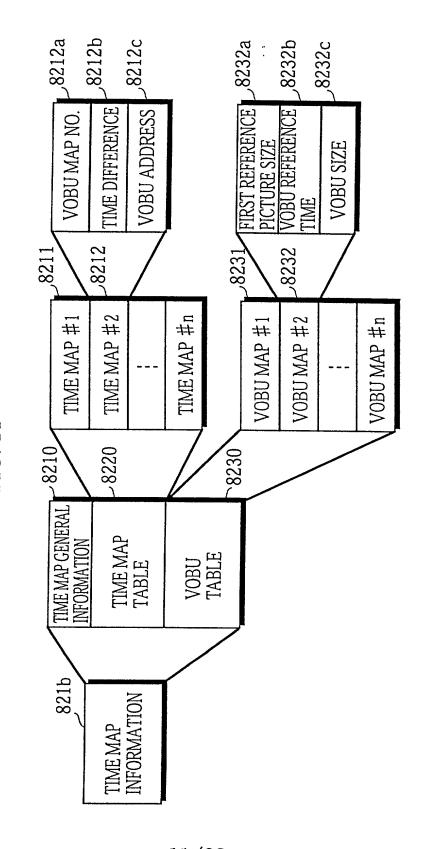


FIG. 10

Video Object Unit Video Object Unit Video Object Unit (VOBU) (VOBU)
V_PCK A_PCK V_PCK V_PCK ··· V_PCK V_PCK ··· V_PCK



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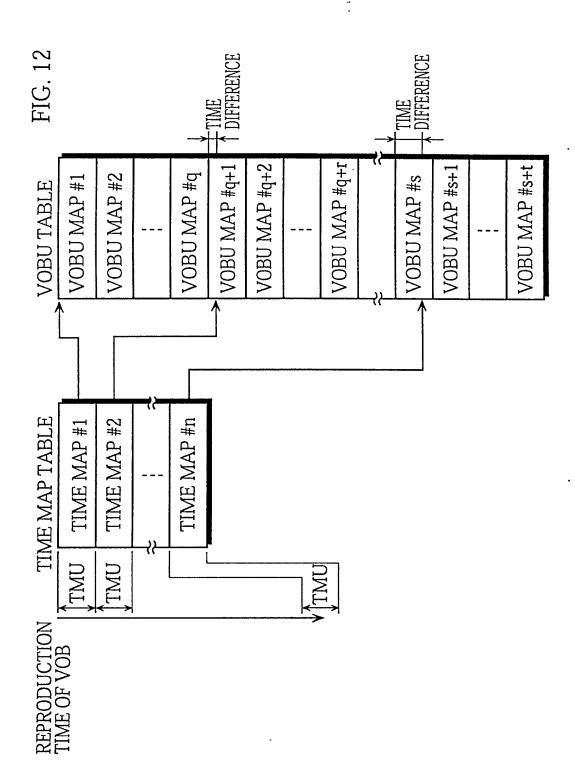
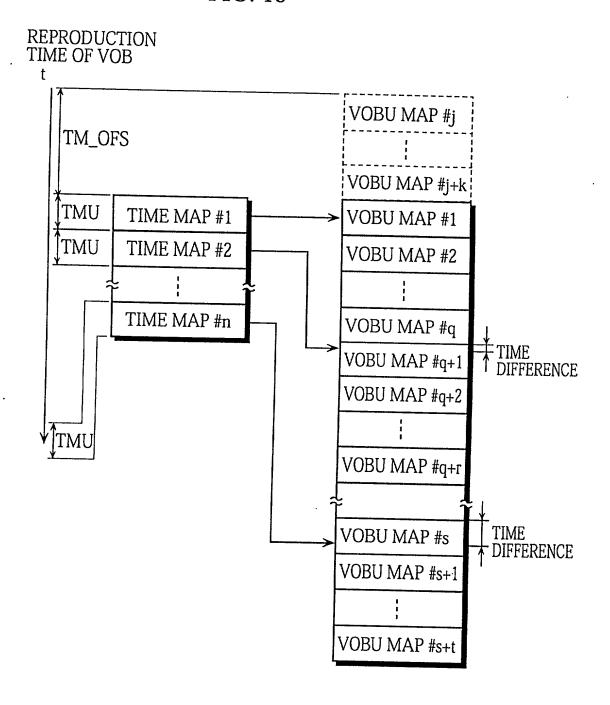
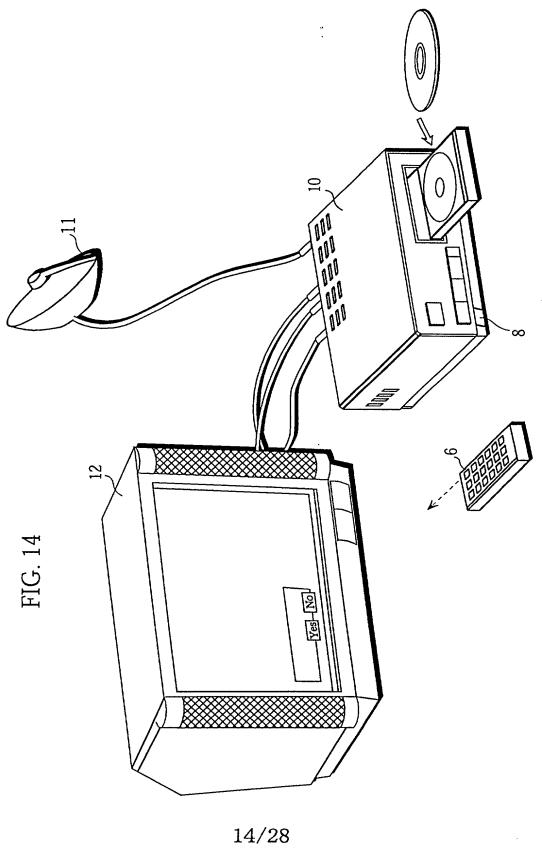


FIG. 13





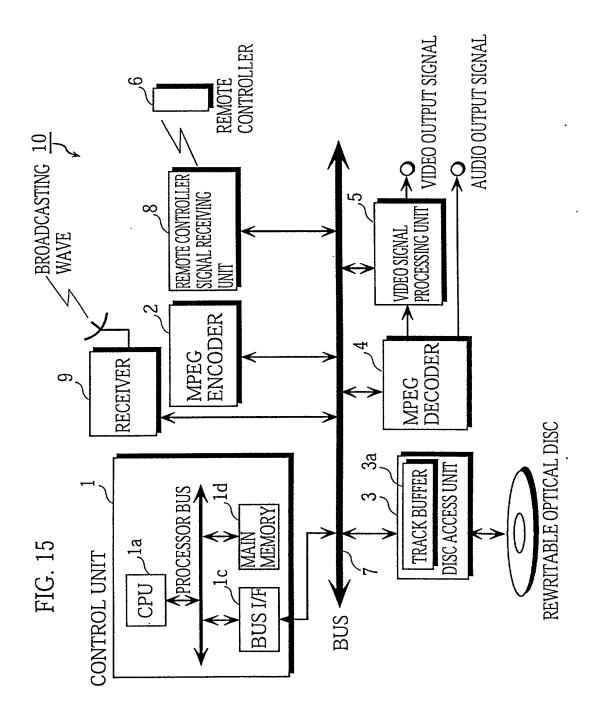
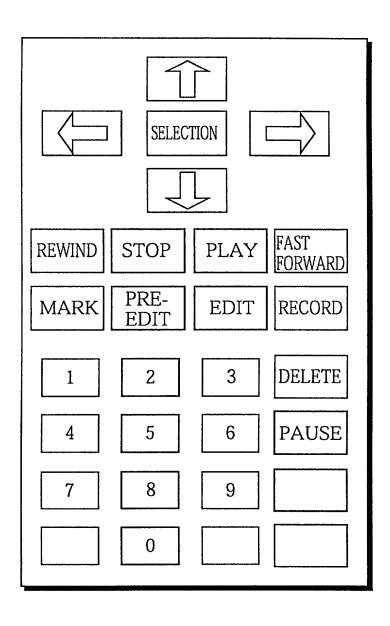
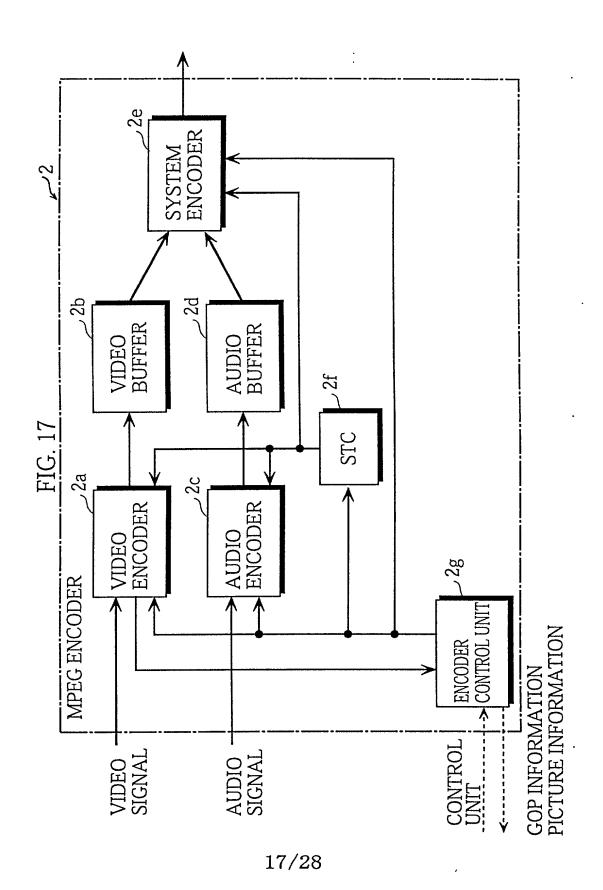
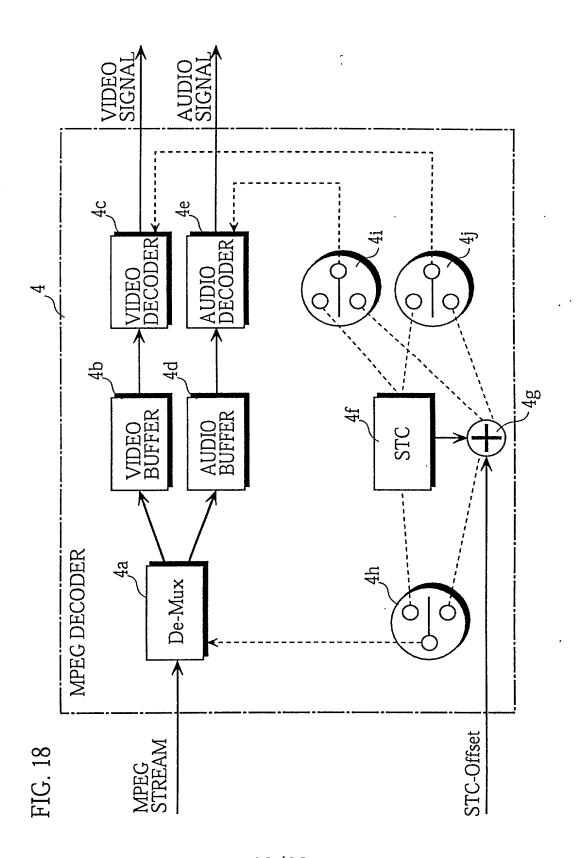


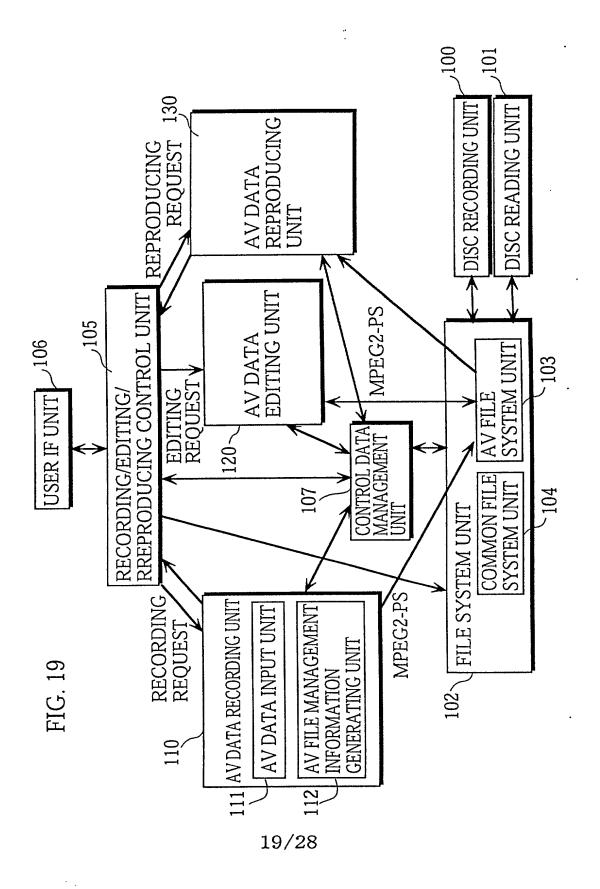
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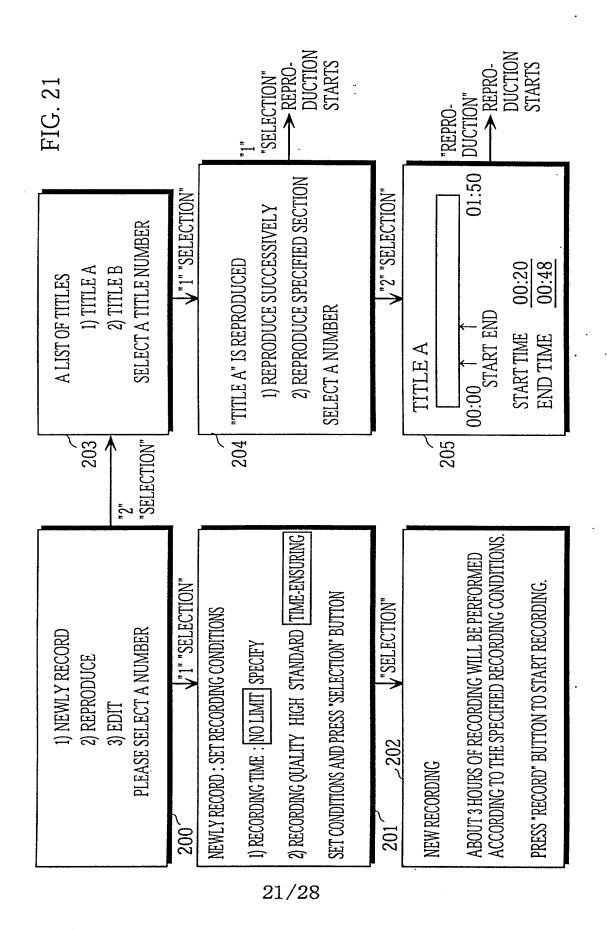
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MERGE	MERGE OF AVFILE1+BUFFER+AV FILE2
SPLIT	SPLIT AN AV FILE
SHORTEN	DELETE AN EDGE OF AV FILE
REPLACE	REPLACE A PART OF AV FILE



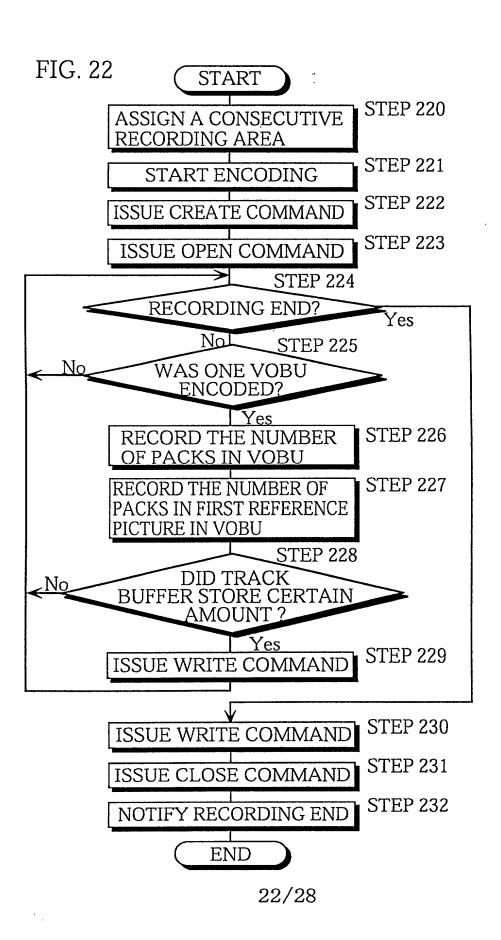


FIG. 23

VOBU NO.	NUMBER OF PACKS IN FIRST REFERENCE PICTURE IN VOBU	NUMBER OF PACKS IN VOBU
#1	14	46
#2	15	51
#3	13	49
#4	14	47
#5	14	46
#6	15	51
#7	13	49
#8	14	47
#9	14	46
#10	15	51
#11	13	49
#12	14	47
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#21	15	51
#22	13	49
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FIG. 24

PROCESS BY THE AV FILE MANAGEMENT INFORMATION GENERATING UNIT 112

